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SUBJECT: SPANISH PROFICIENCY TEST OF FULBRIGHT LECTURERS

1. BINATIONAL COMMISSION HAS SUGGESTED THAT ALL APPLICANTS FOR FULBRIGHT PROFESSORS/LECTURERS BE GIVEN A SPANISH PROFICIENCY TEST AS AN ADDITIONAL STEP IN THE APPLICATIONS PROCESS.
2. COMMISSION HAS FOUND THAT TOO MANY FULBRIGHT PROFESSORS DO NOT HAVE SPANISH PROFICIENCY CONTRARY TO THEIR OWN SELF-EVALUATION.
3. A RECENT CASE WAS DR. GERALD A. FLEISCHER, PH.D IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING WHO DESPITE BEING A VERY CAPABLE ACADEMICIAN NEEDED A SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETER FOR ALL OF HIS LECTURES. HIS ABILITIES TO "LECTURE, CONVERSE, AND READ IN SPANISH FLUENTLY WERE SIMPLY NON-EXISTENT" REPORTED EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF BINATIONAL COMMISSION. FLEISCHER STATED ON HIS APPLICATION ABILITY TO LECTURE IN AND SPEAK FLUENTLY SPANISH.  
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